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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re application of:		)
	Dave Pin et al.	)
Serial No.:	10/697,456	) Art Unit
Filed:	October 30, 2003	) 2874
For:	SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING COAXIAL OPTICAL COMPONENTS	) ) )
Confirmation No.:	7981	)
Customer No.:	022913	)
Examiner:	Daniel I Petrovsek	)

## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed December 28, 2005 (the "Office Action"), the period for response having been extended to April 28, 2006 by the accompanying one-month Request for Extension of Time and fee payment, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the Amendment section.